

W. J. STONE WOULD PROBE CHARGES

Cites Lawson's Exposures.

Also Refers to Parker's Charge
of Campaign Contributions
From Corporations, and
Asks a Remedy.

Washington, Jan. 7.—Thomas Lawson's revelations upon "Frenzied Finance" may lead to a chapter or two of animated politics by virtue of a resolution introduced into the Senate today by Senator William J. Stone.

Citing Lawson's last article, calling attention to the charges made by Judge Alton B. Parker at the close of the campaign, and referring to mention in the President's message, the junior Senator from Missouri demands that the Judiciary committee of the Senate investigate the expenditures of national committees in recent campaign, and that the committee report to the Fifty-ninth Congress, by bill or otherwise, "the legislation said committee may deem necessary to suppress bribery and corruption in such elections."

The purpose of the Senator in introducing the resolution, it is understood, is to put the Democrat party upon "high moral ground" as to the use of money in general elections.

In its preamble the resolution declares that Lawson specifically charges that he conspired with other well-known capitalists to raise funds for the Republican candidates in 1896.

Then the Parker-Roosevelt incident is recited, when National Chairman Cortelyou was charged with receiving campaign contributions in large sums from corporations—money "contributed by or extorted from numerous trusts and corporations, to be used to influence the election then ensuing."

An Outburst For Stoessel.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 7.—Few incidents of the whole war have aroused more bitter criticism than the blunt announcement, officially issued by the general staff, that General Stoessel will have to come home and stand court-martial for surrendering the fortress of Port Arthur. While this is an ancient regulation and quite according to law, it is bitterly resented on all sides that such an announcement should have been gratuitously made in the same bulletin containing Gen. Stoessel's appeal to the emperor for "lenient judgement on a garrison reduced to shadows, who have done all that was possible for human beings to uphold the honor of Russia in the face of her enemies." The Novoe Vremya, despite the example made by the suspension of the Russ, says:

"By all means, let us have a court-martial and make it, if possible, severe. The cruel judge will, perhaps, deal leniently with the those who have given their blood and lives for their country. Perhaps, also, the court will determine why a fortress known to be threatened with blockade is not supplied with necessary food and munitions to enable it to hold out. Perhaps such a court will bring to light many dark, hidden things and expose the creeping, underground enemies of Russia who are infinitely more dangerous to the nation than the foe who fights in the open."

Jury Says Gillespie

Murdered His Sister.

Rising Sun, Ind., Jan. 8.—James Gillespie, who, with his sister, Mrs. Della Seward, and Mr. and Mrs. Myron Barbour, was indicted for the murder of his twin sister, Elizabeth Gillespie, was found guilty to-night and sentenced to life imprisonment. The other defendants are yet to be tried. The trial lasted over five weeks, and was bitterly fought throughout. Miss Elizabeth Gillespie was shot and killed while in the parlor of her home preparing to entertain the Women's literary club.

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BEAUTIFUL WOMAN KILLED BY BULLET.

Missouri Girl Honored by Prince
Henry Accidentally Killed.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 8.—Muriel Byram, one of the most beautiful leaders of Chicago society, and called by Prince Henry of Germany and Sir Philip Burne Jones, during their visit here, "one of the two most beautiful girls in this city," was accidentally shot and killed to day by the discharge of a rifle that she was cleaning in her home, 2909 Michigan avenue.

After listening to the testimony of witnesses and members of the family, the coroner's jury returned a verdict of accidental death.

Miss Byram, accompanied by her mother, brother, sister and niece, was to have left for California, Sunday. Some years ago in the Adirondacks she became an expert huntswoman, and, anticipating hunting during her California trip, was cleaning her rifle. It is said. According to one story, a cartridge became caught, and in attempting to extract it, it exploded, the shot striking Miss Byram in the throat with fatal effect.

Baby Reconciles Bryan

and Leavitt Families.

New Orleans, La., Jan. 6.—William Jennings Bryan to-day visited his daughter, Ruth, at her residence here for the first time since her romantic marriage to William Homer Leavitt, a portrait painter of Boston. He came especially to see his 2 months-old granddaughter. A reconciliation was effected between the distinguished Nebraskan and his son-in-law. The families became estranged by the marriage, and for the past eighteen months have barely been on speaking terms. The birth of the child worked on the sympathies of Col. Bryan and induced him to visit his daughter. The baby, which is Mr. Bryan's first grandchild, has been christened in honor of its mother.

Asks Idaho Legislature

To Prohibit Polygamy.

Boise, Idaho, January 7.—Both branches of the legislature have organized, the two houses met in joint session to-day and received the message of Gov. Gooding. The governor called attention to the fact that adultery is not a crime in Idaho and urged that a law be enacted making it such. He also advised that a law be passed making polygamy a crime.

He Walked off a Train.

Macon, Mo., Jan. 8.—The body of Thomas Ruddy was brought here to-day for interment. Ruddy met with a singular death near Novinger yesterday morning. He was returning from Chillicothe, where he had been to place his sister in the normal school. The conductor aroused him about daylight and told him the train was approaching his destination. Ruddy walked to the platform and without waiting for the train to stop stepped off. He died before friends could reach him.

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CZAR'S COUNCIL

DETERMINES TO
CONTINUE WAR

Dignity of Nation Plea—Anarchy
Rending Country.

St. Petersburg, January. 8.—An extraordinary council, presided over by the czar, was held last night at Tsarkoe Selo, at which the whole war situation, in the light of recent developments, was considered long and carefully. The meeting was held owing to the alarming rumors of internal troubles and the outspoken attitude of those who have all along opposed further prosecution of the struggle. The recall of the Baltic fleet was one of the questions considered, and a report from Gen. Kuropatkin concerning land conditions was discussed.

As a result of the meeting of the council it was decided to carry on the war with renewed energy.

Gen. Kuropatkin will be re-enforced by 200,000 men before the end of February. The transport capacities of the trans-Siberian railway will be increased by the use of a new type of car. It was also decided to recall Admiral Rojestvensky immediately. The czar and council were unanimous in declaring that the closing of the war would be incompatible with Russia's dignity, and the determination was expressed to continue hostilities until the Russian arms achieve a decisive victory.

Withdrew Talbot Charges.

Philadelphia, Jan. 5.—J. Fredrick Jenkinson of this city, one of the presenters of Bishop Talbot of the Central Pennsylvania diocese of the Protestant Episcopal church, after a conference in New York today with Herbert Noble and others, arrived here at 10:15 o'clock to night and handed to the Rev. Dr. W. B. Bodine, president of the board of inquiry, a paper withdrawing the presentment. The presenters reserve the right to draw up a new presentment based on the charges contained in the one now withdrawn if Bishop Talbot does not himself ask for a trial. A copy of the withdrawal has been sent to Bishop Tuttle at St. Louis.

Seeking to Collect \$750,000.

Washington, January 8.—J. F. McMurray, of South McAlester, I. T., is in Washington to collect the fee of \$750,000 allowed to the legal firm of Mansfield, McMurray & Cornish by the citizenship court of the Choctaw and Chickasaw nations for services in purging the rolls of two nations of names of persons claiming rights to membership and property in those tribes. The work, according to McMurray, covered a period of seven years. The court allowed the claim and the tribal councils have approved it. It is now up to Secretary Hitchcock to approve the bill.

Lynch Negro who Broke

Into White Woman's Room.

Benoit, Miss., Jan. 8.—A negro was quietly lynched here to-day. Last night he broke into the home of Mrs. Strong, the postmistress. When he struck a match the young woman screamed and the negro fled. To-day he was brought in by a posse, fully identified, and promptly strung up.

Accused of Killing His Son.

Manchester, Ia., Jan. 7.—Lester Clark, charged by indictment with the murder of his feeble-minded son through cruelty, was placed on trial today. It is alleged that he executed a system of treatment towards the imbecile son that undermined the boy's constitution and resulted in death. The torture is alleged to have covered a period of nearly a year before charges were filed.

Baltic Fleet to Return.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 7.—Although orders to that effect have not been sent to Admiral Rojestvensky, the Associated Press is able to announce positively that the decision has been reached that the Russian second Pacific squadron will return to European waters.

Organization of Mo. Legislature.

NEW HOUSE OFFICIALS.
Speaker—David W. Hill of Poplar Bluff.
Speaker pro tem—G. H. Wilson of St. Louis.
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Assistant Chief Clerk—Barryman H. Wood of Hannibal.
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Official Reporter—Jesse Flowers of Johnson county.

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Enrolling Clerk—A. L. Hawkins of Palmyra.
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Is Our Country "Free?"

The January McClure's contains a short story by Charles Fleming Embree, and, but so true that it falls outside the realm of sarcasm. It tells what a mockery was "The Liberty of Floren'ino," a poor little Cuban lad who couldn't find equality or fraternity in our "free" country.

In an Indiana town, the lonely, dark-skinned child goes to the public school, brimming over with hope and loyalty—only to be run out with cries of "nigger" by brutal children egged on by narrow-minded parents. Next, after learning the carpenter's trade at the State Reform School, he eagerly set to work to earn his living—and found that he was not only a "nigger," but an apprentice and a "scab." Wounded in a strike quarrel, he returned to the Reform School—the only place for him in "this here land of the free."

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